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DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST.

Windsor Trust Company

Uptown Office. Downtown Office, Fifth Ave. & 47th St. Nassau & Cedar Sts New York, Nov. 29, 1905.

The Board of Directors of this Company has declared a dividend of Three Per Cent. on the Capital Stock, payable December 29th, 1995, to a tookholders of record December 15th, 1905.

A. G. NORRIE, Secretary.

## New York Mortgage and Security Company

135 Bit ADDWAY N. Y.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a semis nn ial dividead of four per cent. (475) upon the capital stock of the Company, payable January 4, 1905, to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 27, 1905.

The transfer books will be closed at 3 P. M. December 27, 1905, and reopened at 13 A. M. January 5, 1906.

WILLIAM N. HARTE. Treasurer. WILLIAM N. HARTE, Treasurer.

THE MINES NOT AFFECTED. Liquidation of Waish Banks Will Not Hait

Southern Indiana Development. CHICAGO, Dec. 25 .- The coal trade has regarded with keen interest the operations incident to the liquidation of Chicago banks on account of its close relations with the southern Indiana coal fields, through the construction of railroads to connect the mines with the Chicago market. The situation is discussed in Fuel, an organ of the trade, which says. "The announcement made that the bank troubles will not affect these properties, which are worth more than they have cost, is taken as a good in-dication of wise investments and conserva-

tive management of the properties. "The association of banks standing be-hind the Chicago National and allied banks has decided to go on with the building of the railroad connections needed to reach Chicago, and has assured the contractors of their money. The acknowledged value of the coal fields and the importance of connection being established between them and the markets appeal to all familiar at all with the situation. The announcement that the susrended banks will not only pay out, but will leave in the reighborhood of 200 rer cent. for the stockholders, is another indication that investments have been made with a careful regard for their actual value."

#### Good Week on Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—Business in the Chicago stock market was curtailed last week, partly because of the approach of the Christmas begause of the approach of the Christmas holiday and partly because of the collapse of the Walsh banks. Prices were affected adversely at the opening Monday, immediately following the announcement that the three institutions would be liquidated, but there was a good recovery later, and the final quotations of the week were nearly as good as the best. The bond list was active in three or four sessions, the trade being in part in anticipation of January being in part in anticipation of January dividends and interest disbursements.

#### MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC THIS DAY Sun rises. 7:18 Sun sets... 4:35 Moon sets..., 5:27
HIGH WATER THIS DAT.
Sandy Hook..7:22 Gov. Island.7:54 Hell Gate.. 8:47 Arrived-MONDAY, Dec. 25.

Ss Columbia, Glasgow, Pec. 16.
Ss Deutschland (tank), Port Taibot, Dec. 12.
Ss Matanzas, Clenfuegos, Dec. 19.
Ss Zanzibar, Clenfuegos, Dec. 18.
Ss Prah, Pemerara, Dec. 12.
Ss Larimer, Port Arthur, Tex., Dec. 15.
Ss Iroquois, Jacksonville, Dec. 22.
Ss City of Atlanta, Savannah, Dec. 22.

SAILED FROM FORFION PORTS.
Ss Pennsylvania, from Boulogne for New York. OUTGOING STEAMSHIPS

	SIDVWOULLS.	
Sall T	o-day.	
	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Havana, Colon		1 00 P M 3 00 P M
Princess Anne, Norfolk El Siglo, Galveston Ocean Monarch, Argen-	********	3 00 P M 3 00 P M
tina.	12 00 M	8 00 P M
Sail To	morrow.	
Oceanic, Liverpool Noordam, Rotterdam Alene, Hayti. Proteus, New Orleans	3 00 A M 7 30 A M	6 30 A M 10 00 A M 2 00 P M 12 00 M
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La Lorraine, Havre Bremen, Bremen Seguranca, Havana Whitgift, Argentina	7 00 A M 9 00 A M 9 00 A M	10 00 A M 10 00 A M 12 00 M 12 00 M
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INCOMING STEAMSHIPS

ı	Sorland Demerara Dec.	12
	Earl of Garrick Greenock Dec.	19
. 1	Mesaba London Dec.	14
1	Zecland Antwerp Dec.	16
	Noordam Rotterdam Dec.	16
н	Maracaibo Curacoa Dec.	18
1	Manoa Demerara Dec.	16
1	El Dorado New Orleans Dec.	20
	El Mar Galviston Dec.	19
Ų	Oscar II Copennagen Dec.	13
1	Canada Liverpool Dec.	15
1	Etona St. Lucia Dec.	19
1	San Jacinto Galveston Dec.	20
П	Georgic Liverpool Dec.	15
Н	Monterey Hayana Dec.	23
ı	Allianca Colon Dec	19
ı	Maracaibo Ponce Dec.	20
	Due To-morrow,	
Н	Rhein Bremen Dec.	16
H	Maraval Trinidad Dec.	20
-	El Norte Galveston Dec.	21
	Alleghany Carthagena Dec.	13
-1	Comanche Jacksonville Dec	
ı	Due Thursday, Dec. 28.	••
1	Celtic Liverpool Dec. Graf Waldersee Hamburg Dec.	
		16
1	Madonna	19
	Prins Maurits Hayti Dec. Excelsion New Orleans Dec.	22
ı		24
1	Due Friday, Dec. 29.	
	Calabria Palermo Dec.	14
1	Arkansas Shtelds Dec.	13
-	KoronaDemeraraDec.	20
٠	Nucc s Gaiveston Dec.	23
	El Rio Galveston Dec.	23
	Due Saturday, Dec. 30.	
		23
	St. Louis Southampton Dec.	23
	La Touraine Havre Dec.	23
	Minnehaha London Dec.	21
	Largo Bay Girgenti Dec.	

Girgenti Dec. 14 Court Calendars This Day.

Appellate Division—Supreme Court—Recess.
Supreme Court—Special Term.—Part I. Motion calendar called at 10:30 A. M. Part II.—Ex parte matters. Parts III., VI. and VII.—Adjourned for the term. Part IV.—Jacobs vs. Edelson, Ritterhoff vs. Ritterhoff. Cases on no day calendar. Part V.—Reich vs. Cochran. Case on no day calendar. Trial Term.—Parts II., III., V., VI., VII., VII., VII., X., X., XI., XII. and XIII.—Adjourned for the term.
Surrogate's. Court—Chambers—Court. copens. for the term.
Surrogate's Court—Chambers—Court opens at 10:30 A. M. Motton calendar called at 10:30 A. M. For probate—Wills of James Callahan, Mary F. Hurdenbergh, Abraham E. Gwynne, Jacob Neff, Moritz Broden, Eva Prince, Ann Reddy, Charles Thomsen, Sarah M. Michael, at 10:30 A. M.: Prank D. Whitaker, John L. Bencke, at 2:30 P. M. Trial Term.—No day calendar.
City Court—Special Term.—Court opens at 10 A. M. Motlons. Trial Term.—Parts I., II., III., IV. and V.—Adjourned for the term. Swift & Company's sales of fresh beef in New York city for the week ending Saturday, Dec. 23, average 1 6.70 cents per pound.—Adr.

### DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST.

WESTINGHOUSE Electric & Manufacturing Company.

New York, December 26, 1905.

A quarterly dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALP
PER CENT, upon the Preferred, Assenting and
Non-Assenting stocks of the Company was declared
payable January 19, 1906, to stockholders of record
December 28, 1905. Transfer books will be closed
December 28, 1905, and opened January 11, 1909.

T. W. SIEMON, Treasurer.

Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad Company Common stock Dividend No. 27.

The regular quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-QUARTER (14.35) PER CENT. on the Common Stock has been declared payable Jan. 2, 1900.

F. A. LEHR, Treasurer.

FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y.,

Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad Company First Mortgage Refunding 4% Gold Bonds. due January 1, 1906, will be paid at maturity at the office of FISE & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y. F. A. LEHR, Treasurer.

Gulf & Ship Island Railroad Company First Mortgage Re unding & Terminal 5% Gold Bonds. 8, due January 1, 1906, will be paid FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y. R. E. POWERS, Treasurer.

Keystone Telephone Co. of Philadelphia First Mor gage 5% Gold Bonds.
Coupon No. 1, due January 1, 1908, will be paid at maturity at the office of FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. T. WM. W. WHARTON, Treasurer.

St. Louis, Rocky Mountain & Pacific Co. First Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds.
Coupon No. 1, due January 1, 1996 will be paid at maturity at the office of FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. T. CHARLES SPRINGER, Treasurer.

Kansas City Viaduct & Terminal R'way Co. First Mortgage 45% Gold Bonds.

Coupon No. 1, due January 1 1906, will be paid at maturity at the office of FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y. J. P. REYNOLDS, Jr., Treasurer. TRUST COMPANIES

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DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST.

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Coupons due and payable at the

# United States Mortgage and Trust Company

55 CEDAR STREET, NEW YORK. On and after January 1st, 1906.

On and after January 1st, 1906.			
Alexandria, La5s	Memphis, Tenn., School		
American Felt Co5s	Memphis, Tenn., Market House5s		
Acker, Merrall & Condit Co., Deb. Jan. 10 5s	Minneapolis, Minn., Court House		
Baton Rouge, La4s			
Bay Cities Water Co5s	Montauk Extension Ry5s		
Billings, Mont., Funding6s	Montgomery, N. Y., Water4s		
Bloomfield, N. J., Fire4s	Montvale, N. J., Road5s		
Bradford Co., Pa., Court House 4s	Mutual Life Insurance Co5s		
Bodley Wagon Co5s	Multnomah Co., Oregon, S. D6s		
Canandaigua, N. Y., S. D., No. 1 4s	N. Y. Bay Extension R. R. Co5s		
Camden Co., N. J., Building4s	North Spring Lake, N. J5s		
Cedartown, Ga., School6s	Oskaloosa Trac. & Lt. Co5s		
Cohoes, N. Y., School	Peoria & Pekin Term. Ry. Co5s		
Chicago, Milwaukee, Elec. R. R. 1st 5s	Pittsburg & Fairmont Fuel Co1st 5s		
Detroit, Monroe & Toledo Short Line Ry 5s	School City, Fort Wayne, Ind31/29		
Dolgeville, N. Y., Sewer3.90s	Stonington, Conn., S. D., No. 184s South Orange, N. J., Sewer4s		
Dunham, N. C., School4s	Squaw Creek, Mo., D.D., No. 16s		
Easton, Palmer & Beth. St. Ry5s	Sullivan Water Co5s		
Elmira Water, Light & R. R. Co5s			
Elyria, Ohio, Water	Syracuse, City of, N. Y., School and other bonds		
Galloway Coal Co	Tampa, Fla., Refunding5s		
Glassport, Pa., School District 41/28	Terre Haute, Ind., Imp6s		
Greensboro, N. C., Street4s	Toledo, City of, Ohio, RefundVarious		
Griffin, Ga	Ing and other bonds )		
Guayaquil & Quito Ry. Co. (Jan. 2)6s Idaho Falls, Idaho, Mepl5s	Toledo Ry. & Term. Co1st 4½s Trenton, Mo., School5s		
Indiana Ry. Co. Con	U. S. Mtg. & Trust Co., Series "K". 4s		
Inter-Ocean S. S. Co1st 5s	U. S. Mtg. & Trust Co., Series "L" 4s		
Klickitat Co., Wash6s	Vehicle Equipment Co1st 5s		
L. I. R. R. Co. Con	Water Works Co 6s		
L. I. R. R. Co. New Con4s	Westerly, R. I., Refunding4s		
L. I. R. R. Co. North Shore Br5s	West Indianapolis, Ind., Funding6s		
Memphis, Tenn., Refdg4½s	Wilhes Bassa Bo Court House		
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COCKER TRUST			

### KNICKERBOCKE JST COMPANY 66 BROADWAY, N. Y. Coupons Payable at This Office on and After January 2d, 1906:

Abilene Water Co. 1st 5s. Adirondack Home Telephone Co. 1st 6s. Albany Home Telephone Co. 1st 6s. Amherst County, Va., 4½s. Ashtabula Water Co. 1st 5s. Ashtabula Water Co. General 5s. Atlenta Water & Electric Power Co. 1st 5s. Atlantic & Birmingham Railway Co. 1st 5%. Batavia Home Telephone Co. 1st 6s.
Bay Shore, N. Y., Union Free School
District No. 1, 4%.
Boone Gas Co. 1st 5s.

Clearfield Bituminous Coal Corp. 1st 4s. Cohoes-Waterford Home Telephone Co.

1st 6s.
Corning, N. Y. (various).
Crawfordsville Water & Light Co. 1st 5s. Englewood Gas & Electric Co. General 5s. Great Northern Paper Co. 1st 5s. Green Bay Phosphate Co. 1st 5s. Hackensack Gas & Electric Co. General 5s. Hackensack Gas Light Co. General 5s. Independent Union Telephone Co. 1st 5s. Johnson, Isaac G., & Co., 1st 5s. Leggett, Francis H., & Co., 1st 6s.

Liberty Silk Co. 1st 6s. Lumber Securities Co. Collateral Trust 6%. Marion City Water Co. 1st 4s. Mechanical Rubber Co. 1st 6s. Naumkeag Street Railway Co. Consoli-dated 5s.

Newburgh & Orange Lake R. R. Co. 1st 5s. N. Y. Belting & Packing Co. Ltd. Deb. 6%. N. Y. Cab Co. Registered 4s. N. Y. & East River Gas Co. Con. 5s. Port Jervis Electric Light, Power, Gas & R. R. Co. 1st 5s. Retsof Mining Co. 1st 5s. Rhinebeck Water Co. 1st 5s. Rosedale & Linden Cemetery Asso. Regis-

tered 60 Ruby Basin Mining & Tunnel Co. 1st 7s. Schenectady Home Telephone Co. 1st 6s. Southern States Lumber Co. 1st 6s. Springfield Coal Mining Co. 1st 5s. Tennessee Lumber & Coal Co. 1st 6s. Tidewater Trap Rock Co. 1st 6%. Vincennes Citizens' Street Ry. Co. 1st 5%. York Silk Mfg. Co. 1st 6s.

DUE JANUARY 12th, 1906: Cuba Eastern R. R. Co. Car Trust 6s.

OFFICE OF

THE ELECTRIC STORAGE
BATTERY COMPANY,
Allegheny Avenue & 19th Street.
Pulla, Pa., December 20th, 1908.
The Directors have this day declared a dividend
of 14% from the net earnings of the Company,
on both common and preferred stocks, payable
January 2nd, 1908, to stockholders of record at
the close of business on December 26th, 1905. Checks
will be mailed. will be mailed. WALTER G. HENDERSON, Treasurer.

### COLUMBIA BANK,

Fifth Avenu, and Forty-second Street.

New York, December 20th, 1908.

The Board of Directors of this Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of six (6) per cent., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1906. The transfer books will close this day and will emain closed until January 2d, 1908.

W. S. GRIFFITH, Cashler.

Anited States Mortonge & Trust Co. The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of TEN PER CENT., and an extra dividend of TWO PER CENT., on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable December 30, 1905, to stockholders of record December 26, 1905.

CALVERT BREWER, Secretary.

THE FOURTH NATIONAL BANK
of the City of New York.
New York, December 21, 1905.
The Board of Directors has tals day declared a
emi-annual dividend of THREE AND ONE-HALP
ER CENT, payable on and after January 2d, 1906.
The transfer books will close at 3 P. M. this date
copening January 2d, 1906. reopening January 2d, 1906. CHARLES H. PATTERSON, Cashler.

OFFICE OF
THE GENERAL RUBBER COMPANY,
42 Broadway, New York, Dec. 18, 1905.
The Coupon due January 1st, 1906, upon the
Ten-Year Four and One-Half Per Cent. Gold Debentures of the General Rubber Company is payable upon presentation at the office of the First
National Bank, No. 2 Wall Street, New York City,
JOHN J. WATSON, Jr., Treasurer.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.

New York, December 22nd, 1905.

The Board of Directors have to day declared a semi-annual dividend of ten (10) per cent., free of tax, payable January 2nd, 1906, to stockholders of record of this date.

The transfer books will remain closed until Januard 3rd, 1906.

W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

MERCHANTS EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
Dec. 22, 1905.
The Board of Directors have this day declared
a semi-annual dividend of Three Per Cent., free
of tax, payable on and after Jan. 2nd., 1906, until
which date the transfer books will be closed.
E. V. GAMBIER, Cashler.

United States Reduction & Refining Co. Coupons of First Mortgage Bonds, due January 1, 1806, will be paid by KESSLER & CO., 54 Wall Street. J. P. COBB, Asst. Treasurer.

Savings Banks.

### NORTH RIVER SAVINGS BANK. SOTH SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND. The Board of Trustees have directed that interest be credited depositors on December 81st, 1906, at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT. PER ANNUM FOUR PER CENT. PER ANNUM
on deposits of \$0.500, and on deposits of over \$3.00
THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. on the
remainder up to \$3.000. Deposits made on or before
Jan. 10th will draw interest from January ist.
SAMUEL D. STYLES, President.
ALEXANDER C. MILNE. Treasurer.
FREDERICK N. CHESHIRE, Secretary.
The Bank has Removed to its New Building,
31 West 34th Street, (bet. 5th and 6th Avenues).

SLOSS SHEFFIELD STEEL & IRON COMPANY.

The Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE FOURTHS PER CENT. (134%) on the Preferred Stock, out of the earnings, payable January 2, 1906, at the office of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, to stockholders of record at three P. M., December 19th, 1903, at the office of the Central Trust Company of New York. Transfer Agent.

Savings Banks.

The Bowery Savings Bank,

128 AND 130 BOWERY.

THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT

per annum has been declared and will be credited to depositors on all sums of \$5.00

and upward and not exceeding \$3,000 which

shall have been deposited at least three months on the first day of January next, and will be payable on and after Monday,

Money deposited on or before January 10 will draw interest from January 1, 1906.

WILLIAM H. S. WOOD, President.

115th Semi-Annual Dividend.

UNION SQUARE

Savings Bank,

The Trustees have declared a dividend for the

titled to interest from Jan. 1, 1906.

ANDREW MILLS, President.

CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary.

WM. F. PATTERSON, Asst. Secretary.

CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK.

56 AND 58 BOWERY, COR. CANAL ST. 91ST SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND.

The Trustees have ordered that interest at the rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF (81/2) PER CENT.

HENRY SAYLER, Secretary.

EMIL A. HUBER, Assistant Secretary.

HENRY A. SCHENCK, Comptroller, WALTER COGGESHALL, Secretary,

NEW YORK, Dec. 12, 1905, semi-annual dividend at the rate of

FRED C. RANDALL,
Ass't Secretary,
New York, December 19th, 1905.

THE Annual Meeting of the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 99 John Street, New York City, on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, 1906, at 2 o'clock P. M.

GEORGE NOTMAN, Secretary.

INSTITUTION FOR THE SAVINGS
OF MERCHANTS' CLERKS.
NO. 20 UNION SQUARE.
A dividend will be credited JANUARY 1 at the
rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT.
PER ANNUM, on sums from \$5 to \$8,000, to all
depositors credited thereto under the by-laws;
payable on and after January 15, 1906.
MONEY DEPOSITED ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 10 WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM
JANUARY 1. Department of Water Supply, Gas and Ricctricity, Room 1536 Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

SEALED BIDS ON ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Water Supply Gas and Electricity at the above office until 20 clock P.M. on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1905.

Botough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN BAY, HANNAH AND MINTHORNE STREETS: IN CENTRAL AVENUE, WEINFR PLACE, STUYVESANT PLACE AND RICHMOND TERRACE.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN BICHMOND TERRACE, NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN BICHMOND TERRACE, MORNINGSTAR ROAD AND RICHMOND ROAD. JANUARY 1.

FRANK M. HURLBUT, President.
WILLIAM H. ROCKWOOD, Secretary.
JOHN T. WEEKS, Cashier.
W. EMLEN ROOSEVELT. Treasurer. Dry Dock Savings Institution,

841 & 343 BOWERY, Cor. 3d St., NEW YORK. ROAD.

NO. 8 FOR FURNISHING DELIVERING AND NO. 8 FOR FURNISHING DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN ALASKA PLACP BRIDGE AVENUE, CHURCH STREET, FRESH ROAD, OLD STONE ROAD, VUKON AVENUE AND PRIVATE RIGHT OF WAY.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN AMBOY, MILL, ANNADALE AND LINDENWOOD ROADS; IN SHARROTT, HUGUENOT AND HILLSIDE AVENUES, AND IN BROADWAY.

FOR full particulars see City Record. six months ending Dec. 81, 1995, on all deposits entitled thereto under the by-laws, at the rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF per cent. per annum on all sums not exceeding Three Thousand Dollars, payable on and after Jan. 15, 1906.

Deposits made on or before Jan. 10 will be en-For full particulars see City Record.

JOHN T. OAKLEY.

East Side.

per annum be paid to depositors on and after January 15th on all sums of 35 and up to \$3,000 which have remained on deposit for the three or six months ending December 31st. 1905. In accordance with the by-laws and rules of the bank. Money deposited on or before January 10th will draw interest from January 1st. HENRY HASLER, President.

DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST.

### MANHATTAN SAVINGS INSTITUTION,

Savings Banks.

No. 644 BROADWAY.

109th Semi-Annual Dividend.

The Trustees of this institution have declared interest at the rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT, per annum on all sums (by the rul entitled thereto) not exceeding \$3,000 remaining on deposit during the three or six months ending on the 31st inst., payable on and after the third

Monday in January next.

Deposits made on or before January 10th, 1908, will draw interest from January 1st, 1908.

JOSEPH BIRD, President.

FRANK G. STILES, Secretary.

CONSTANT M. BIRD, Asst. Secretary.

THE NEW YORK SAVINGS BANK, N. W. Cor. 14th St. & Sth Avenue.

The Trustees have declared a dividend for the three and six months ending January 1st, 1906, on all deposits entitled thereto, under the by laws, at the rate of

# FOUR PER CENT.

\$5 TO \$3,000. Deposits made on or before January 10th will draw interest from January 1st.

WILLIAM FELSINGER, President.

JAMES L. WANDLING, Treasurer.

ARCHIBALD M. PENTZ, Secretary.

# BROADWAY SAVINGS INSTITUTION

23 PARA PLACE, N. Y. CITY.
The Board of Trustees of this Institution have directed that interest
be credited depositors entitled there 108 th SemAnnel Four Per Cent. Per Annum, payable on and after January 15th, 1908. Deposits made on or before January 8th will draw interest from January 1st, 1908.
L. A. STUART.
Secretary. H. F. HUTCHINSON, President.

### Union Dime Savings Institution,

BROADWAY, \$2D ST. & SIXTH AVENUE. GREELEY SQUARE NEW YORK. Interest three and one-half per cent. from \$5 to \$3,000. Credited January 1st, payable January 1sth or any time later. CHARLES E. SPRAGUE, President. FRANCIS M. LEAKE, Treasurer, WILLIAM G. ROSS, Secretary.

#### ELECTIONS AND MEETINGS.

To the Stockholders of
THE UNIVERSAL CARBONATING CO.
GENTLEMEN:
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Annual
Meeting of the Stockholders of the Universal
Carbonating Company (New York Corporation)
will be held at No. 128 Mott Street, in the Borough
of Manhattan, of the City of New York, in the State
of New York, on MONDAY, January 8th, 1906,
at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the election
of Directors for the corporation for the ensuing
year and for the transaction of such business as
shall come before the meeting.
The Stock Transfer Books will be closed December 28th, 1895, and will be reopened January
9th, 1906.

Yours, etc., WILLIAM B. GREELEY, Secretary. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Galban & Co. will be held on the ninth day of January. 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of The Corporation Trust Company of New Jersey, 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City. New Jersey, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

In accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey, no stock can be voted on which has been transferred on the books of the Company within twenty days next preceding this election.

H. LOBO, Assistant Secretary:

Dated Dec. 6th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Poly-Phase Ignition System Company will be held at the office of the company, Number 52 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1906, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year and two inspectors of election to serve at the next annual meeting and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting. WM. ALTMANN, Secretary. Dated New York, December 23rd, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Prometheus Electric Company will be held at the office of the company, Number 286 East 84rd Street, in the Horough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1966. at one o'clock in the aftermoon, for the purpose of electing five directors for the ensuing year and two inspectors of election to serve at the next annual meeting and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting.

WILLIAM B. SYMMES, JR., Secretary.

Dated New York, December 23, 1905.

# FOUNDED 1803.

The Merchants' National Bank

of the City of New York.

New York, December Sth. 1905.

The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank
will be held at the banking room, No. 42 Wall Street
on Tuesday, January 9th, 1900, from 12 M. to 1
o'clock P. M

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HOLLAND TRUST COMPANY. HOLLAND TRUST COMPANY.

The Annual Election of Trustees and Inspectors of Election of Holland Trust Company will be held at its office, 19 Liberty street, in the City of New York, on January 10th, 1906. Poils will be open between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 1 o'clock P. M. Transfer books will be closed from December 31st, 1905, to January 10th, 1906, inclusive.

James B. Van Woert, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Stockholders of The Marine Manig and Supply Company will be held at the office of the Company, 158 South Street. New York City, on the 8th day of January, 1806, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated New York, Dec. 25th, 1905.

THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Commercial Mining Company, for the election of Trustees for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the Company's office, No. 99 John Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 9th, 1906, at two o'clock F. M. GEORGE NOTMAN, Secretary.

THE CONTINENTAL INSURANCE CO., No. 46 Cedar St., New York, Dec. 23, 1905. THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS of this Company will be held on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1906, at this office, from 12 o'clock noon until 1 o'clock P. M. EDWARD L. BALLARD, Secretary. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The

THE MUTUAL BANK.

New York, December 14, 1905.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of Directors will be held at the banking house, No. 1282 Broadway, on Tuesday the 9th day of January, 1966, between the hours of three and four P. M..

HUGH N. KIRKLAND, Cashler.

### PROPOSALS.

Dated December 15, 1905. DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES for dry stone
wall on Riker's Island (963) will be received by the
Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," Battery Place,
until 2 o'clock P. M. Friday, January 5, 1906. (For
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Shareholders Protective Committee

To the Holders of the Preferred and Common Shares of the Pere Marquette Ratiroad Company

Marquette Raliroad Co the undersigned have con-sented to act as a committee under an agreement dated the 7th day of December 1905 for the purpose of protecting the interests of said share-holders In accordance with the terms of the agreement above mentioned the committee hereby requests you to deposit with the OLD COLONY TRUST COMPANY AMES BUILDING BOSTON MASS

At the request of the holders of a large amount

of the Preferred and Common shares of the Pere

under the said agreement your certificates for Preferred and Common shares duly endorsed in blank. The Trust Company will issue transferable certificates of deposit for all certificates so de posited

The above committee was formed because the property of the company was placed in the hands of a receiver. Since then the Cincinnati Hamilton & Dayton Railway Co has instituted action seek-

ing to annul the lease of the Pere Marquette road In view of these facts it is most essential that the shareholders should deposit their stock at the earliest possible date in order that the interests Copies of the Old Colony Trust Company in Boston and copies will be furnished upon request at the sald office

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Counsel 'or the Committee The stock may also be deposited at the MANHATTAN TRUST COMPANY 20 WALL STREET NEW YORK

TO THE HOLDERS OF FIRST MORTGAGE REFUNDING AND TERMINAL FIVE PER CENT. GOLD COUPON BONDS OF THE GULF AND SHIP ISLAND RAILROAD CO. GULF AND SHIP ISLAND RAILROAD CO.

REQUEST FOR TENDERS OF BONDS.

Pursuant to the terms of the mortgage executed by the Gulf and Ship Island Railroad Company, dated February 1, 1902, to the New York Security and Trust Company, as Trustee, request is hereby made for tenders to the undersigned, as Trustee, of bonds for redemption and cancellation, at a price not exceeding 110 per cent. and accrued in terest. All such tenders to be delivered in writing to the undersigned, as Trustee, on or before January 2, 1908.

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY, Trustee.

New York, December 11, 1905.

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD CO. 71 Broadway, New York City, Nov. 27th, 1905.
MAYSVILLE & LEXINGTON RAILROAD COM. PANY (NORTH DIVISION) FIRST MORT-

GAGE SEVEN PER CENT. BONDS, DUE JANUARY 1ST, 1906. Notice is hereby given that the LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD COMPANY will pay the above bonds maturing January 1st, 1906, on presentation of same at this Office, on and after E. L. SMITHERS, Assistant Treasurer.

### OFFICIAL LEGAL NOTICES.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT IN THE CITY RECORD OF December 21, 1905, to January 6, 1906, of the confirmation by the Board of Assessments and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, 24TH WARD, SECTION 11—RECEIVING BASINS, at northeast, northwest and southwest corners of WEST 188TH STREET AND AQUEDUCT AVENUE; northeast and northwest corners of WEST 188TH STREET AND AQUEDUCT AVENUE; east side at first change of grade south of WEST 187TREET.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

City of New York, December 19, 1905.

### HELP WANTED-MALE. ACCOUNTANTS WANTED.

We expect to require early in January experienced senior accountants for permanent positions, and desire written applications therefor; applicants must have had at least four or five years' training with one or more of the larger American or English firms of public accountants;

state experience, references, solary, &c.;

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### LAWYERS.

LEGAL ADVICE in all matters. The County

Standard Rope & Twine Company
REORGANIZATION NOTICE. Holders of Bonds of the above Company are notified that a plan of reorganization has been formulated and that an order to participate therein First Mortgage Bonds must be deposited with The Equitable Trust Company of New York and Income Bonds with the Colonial Trust Company, New York, on or before December 27th, 1905. A majority of both issues has already been deposited. The early sale of the plants under foreclosure proceedings makes prompt action necessary. Copies of the plan giving terms of reorganization may be ob-tained from the depositories or from the under

First Mortgage

Bondholders

Protective

signed ALVIN W. KRECH, Chairman. JAMES B. CLEWS. DONALD MACKAY. CHARLES E. ORVIS VALENTINE P. SNYDER,

HOLDERS OF INCOME BONDS STANDARD ROPE & TWINE CO.
To receive the benefits of the Reorganization Plan formulated by the First Mortgage Bondholders Committee, and which, so far as it pertains to the Income Bonds, has been approved by this Com-mittee, such Income Bondholders as have not yet

LAWRENCE L. GILLESPIE, Secretary

deposited their bonds with the Colonial Trust Co must do so by December 27th, 1905, and make the first payment under said Plan to the Equitable Trust Co. on or before the same date. JULES S. BACHE, Chairman,

Income Bondholders' Committee. NOTICE OF REMOVAL—The Agency of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, G. BRUCE-WEBSTER, Agent, also representing the Bank of Africa. Ltd., will be removed on 30th December, 1905, to 88 WALL STREET.

### PUBLIC NOTICES.

WHEREAS. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of Tae City of New York, acting for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 488 of the Laws of 1901 as amended, has selected and determined certain real estate (as the term "real estate" is defined in the said Act) in the county of Kings, as and for sources of public water supply in and for The City of New York and deems it necessary to take and acquire the same and all the rights, titles and interests therein, and to extinguish all claims for damages on account of such rights, titles and interests, or growing out of such taking, for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York, and of providing additional water works to supply The City of New York with water: water for The City of New York, and of providing additional water works to supply The City of New York with water;

WHEREAS. The said Commissioner has prepared and submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under date of November 15, 1905, a map showing the real estate situated between Avenue D and Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Rallroad, extending from East 86th street to East 97nd street, required for a driven well station, to be taken and acquired as aforesaid, as provided in the said Act: therefore, helt RESOLVED. That a public notice be given of a hearing to be held by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in the Old Council Chamber. Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1905, at 10:39 of clock A. M., at which a full opportunity shall be afforded to any and all persons interested to be heard respecting such map and the taking and acquisition of the real estate as shown thereon.

RESOLVED, That such public notice be published once in each week for three successive weeks in the "CITY RECORD" in the Corporation newapapers. In two papers published in Kings county, in which county the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, and in two daily papers published in The City of New York.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a trie copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the meeting of said Board held on the 1st day of December, 1905.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary.

Telephone 3454 Franklin. 277 Broadway, Room 805.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that THE HARD RUBBER COMPANY OF AMERICA, a domestic corporation, having its principal business office in the Village of Hempstead, County of Nassal and State of New York, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term for Motions thereof, to be held in and for the Second Judicial District, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the eighth (8th) day of January, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order authorizing eald corporation to change its corporate hame to AMERICAN HARD RUBBER COMPANY.

Dated New York City, 20 November, 1905.
THE HARD RUBBER COMPANY OF AMERICAL By SAM'L H. DODD, President.

LEWIS R. CONKLIN.

Attorney for Petitioner, 192 Broadway, Borough of Manhetten New York City.

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